

## HR 3174

### Fairness to Pet Owners Act of 2015

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Commerce

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**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Manufacturing, and Trade.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Manufacturing, and Trade. (Jul 24, 2015)

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### Sponsor

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**Party:** Republican • **State:** UT • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Cartwright, Matt [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Jul 23, 2015
Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Jul 23, 2015
Rep. Jones, Walter B., Jr. [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Jul 23, 2015
Rep. Love, Mia B. [R-UT-4]	R · UT		Jul 23, 2015
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Jul 23, 2015

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 24, 2015

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Commerce

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 1200	Related bill	May 6, 2015: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

## **Fairness to Pet Owners Act of 2015**

Directs the Federal Trade Commission to require prescribers of animal drugs to verify prescriptions and provide copies of prescriptions to pet owners, pet owner designees, and pharmacies, without the prescriber demanding payment or establishing other conditions. Applies these requirements to medication for a domesticated household animal that consumers are not allowed to purchase without a prescription.

Treats a violation of this Act as an unfair or deceptive act or practice under the Federal Trade Commission Act.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jul 24, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Manufacturing, and Trade.
- **Jul 23, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 23, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.